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HONG KONG

A RELABLE SOURCE HAS TOLD CONGENOFF THAT FAR EAST HYDROFOIL CO. (OWNED BY PRO-PRC MACAO ENTREPRENEUR STANLEY HO) WILL SHORTLY CONCLUDE AGREEMENT WITH CHINA TO PROVIDE JETFOIL SERVICE TO THIS YEAR'S CANTON FALL FAIR. THE SERVICE FOR BUSINESSMEN WILL OPERATE ONCE A DAY BETWEEN HONG KONG AND CANTON. ONE OF THE FEW REMAINING QUESTIONS TO BE RESOLVED IS THE FARE, WHICH WILL PROBABLY AMOUNT TO HONG KONG \$250 (US\$54) EACH WAY. THE TRIP WILL TAKE 2 1/2 HOURS, AND WILL ONLY BE AVAILABLE DURING THE COURSE OF THE FAIR.

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